IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Title : Disposable Article Having a Biosensor

REPLY AFTER OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

In response to the Office Action of June 12, 2008, the time for response being extended by 1 month, pursuant to the fee charged to the Assignee's Deposit Account in the papers submitted herewith, please consider the following remarks and reconsider the application. Attached hereto is a Petition for a 1-Month Extension of Time, and the fee required under 37 CFR §1.17(a), providing for a timely response up to and including October 13, 2008 (October 12, 2008 falls on a Sunday).

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.